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Summary Information

Repository	Rare Books and Manuscripts
Title	J. W. Parker papers
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Biographical Note

Jethro Wickersham (J.W.) Parker (1879-1936) was the son of Benjamin Stratton Parker (1833-1911) and Huldah Wickersham (1846-1922). Benjamin was the son of Isaac (1806-1866) and Mary Parker (1812-1862). Huldah's parents were Caleb (1780-1872) and Eunice (1872-1846) Wickersham. Isaac Parker was the son of Jeremiah (1767-1837) and Keren Parker (1767-?). The Parker family was from Northampton, North Carolina and moved to Indiana in 1818.

Sources:

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Ancestry.com. "Karen Parker." *U.S., Hinshaw Index to Selected Quaker Records, 1680-1940*. Accessed August 20, 2016. <http://search.ancestrylibrary.com>.

FindaGrave.com. "Jeremiah Parker." *Find a Grave Index*. Accessed August 19, 2016. <http://www.findagrave.com>.

FindaGrave.com. "Isaac Parker." *Find a Grave Index*. Accessed August 19, 2016. <http://www.findagrave.com>.

FindaGrave.com. "Benjamin Stratton Parker." *Find a Grave Index*. Accessed August 19, 2016. <http://www.findagrave.com>.

Historical Note

The State Council of Indiana was part of the Know Nothing movement. The movement came to Indiana in 1854, spreading rapidly across the state. The Council promoted nativism, hence the motto, "None but Americans shall rule America."

Source:

Information found within collection.

Brand, Carl Fremont. "The History of the Know Nothing Party in Indiana." *Indiana Magazine of History* 18, no.1 (March 1922): 41-81. Accessed August 20, 2016. <https://scholarworks.iu.edu/journals/index.php/imh/article/view/6237/6190>.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains photostat copies of the Quaker marriage certificates of Jeremiah Parker and Keren Newby (1789/04/05) and Caleb Wickersham and Eunice Folger (1822/05/29). The collection also includes a photostat copy of a March 5, 1855 certificate of the State Council of Indiana regarding the election of officers and the authority given to them as part of the Council from Dudley Township, Henry County, Indiana and signed by state officers, Godlove S. Orth and S. P. Crawford.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged chronologically.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Rare Books and Manuscripts

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Custodial History

This collection was received by Rare Books and Manuscripts as a donation from J.W. Parker on 1930/05/27.

Accruals

No further additions are expected.

Processing Information

Collection processing completed 2016/08/20 by Laura Eliason. EAD finding aid created 2016/08/20 by Laura Eliason.

Related Materials

Related Archival Material

Materials relating to this collection may be found in the following collections in Rare Books and Manuscripts, Indiana State Library, Indianapolis, IN:

S1033: Godlove S. Orth letters

L123: Benjamin S. Parker papers

Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Certificates
- Marriage certificates

Subject(s)

- Quakers